



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Fu, et al.)
Serial No: 10/611,419) Art Unit
Filed: June 30, 2003) 2652
For: POSITIONER FOR A DISK DRIVE THAT)
OFFSETS THE RESULTANT FORCE AT THE)
ACTUATOR HUB TO PRECISELY POSITION)
A DATA TRANSDUCER)
Examiner: Chen, Tianjie)
Attorney Docket: Q01-1041-US1 / 11198.71)

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION

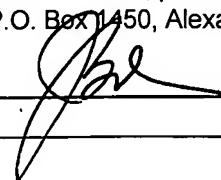
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 24, 2005, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on January 24, 2006, please enter the instant response as provided below. This response is timely filed within the three-month deadline for response, and is being filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination.

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